RESOLUTION NUMBER 07-12 RESOLUTION FOR VOCATIONAL TRAINING ADMINISTRATOR OF THE YEAR DRAFT

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board is a public organization that is accountable through its members and staff to the residents, the Legislature and the Governor of Alaska;

WHEREAS, the Alaska Workforce Investment Board acts as the lead state planning and coordinating entity for state human resource programs involving employment training, vocational education, and workforce development;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw has guided the Alaska Technical Center (ATC) into part of a statewide vocational training system, working together with industry and state agencies to provide a comprehensive and unified response to Alaska's training needs;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw leads an organization that provides jobs and opportunity for young Alaskans to obtain the skills and knowledge needed to get a job, or to advance in their current occupations;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw believes that all students have something to offer;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw believes that her role as the ATC Director is to share leadership and vision with all the ATC stakeholders, community, students, staff, and administration;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw has demonstrated that her greatest strength is concern for the success of each student;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw has demonstrated that she responds to community needs;

WHEREAS, Under Cheryl Edenshaw's leadership the ATC has been driven toward continuous improvement in order to provide quality programs;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw has successfully created an occupational training environment that has blended traditional and modern-day technology, which is provided in a comfortable, rural setting;

WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw has shown her commitment to community and state by serving on several local and statewide committees and boards; and WHEREAS, Cheryl Edenshaw's commitment to workforce development in her home region Northwest Arctic has spanned over twenty years.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Alaska Workforce Investment Board announces and congratulates Cheryl Edenshaw, the Director of the Alaska Technical Center, as the recipient of the 2007 Vocational Training Administrator of the Year award.

CERTIFICATION

The Alaska Workforce Investment Board held a meeting duly and regularly called, noticed, and convened this 12^{th} day of February, 2008 and the foregoing Resolution was adopted unanimously at said meeting.

Signed this 12th day of February 2008.

Andy Baker, Chair Alaska Workforce Investment Board